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1. [REDACTED] Met with Bill Timmons, Assistant to the President, and Dick Cook, Tom Korologos, Max Friedersdorf, and Wallace Johnson, of his Legislative Liaison staff, at the White House to discuss plans for the confirmation hearing of the new DCI and review problems and prospects regarding the Agency's relations with Congress during the coming year. See Memorandum for the Record.

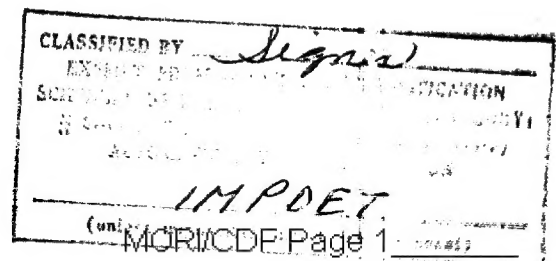
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2. [REDACTED] Received a call from Bill Van Ness, Chief Counsel, Senate Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, with further reference to queries he has received from Senator Lee Metcalf's (D., Mont.) office about security clearances (especially compartmented) for members of Senator Metcalf's personal staff. Van Ness wanted to confirm his understanding from prior conversations with us that it was the Agency's policy to grant special clearances only to the staffs of congressional committees when in the opinion of the chairman of the committee there is a need for access to this information by the staff. Further, clearances of this type are not granted to the personal staff of Members of Congress. I told Van Ness that this was our position. He said he had suggested to Metcalf's office that they submit requests for regular TS clearances to the Secretary of Defense.

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3. [REDACTED] Made arrangements with Jim Woolsey, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, for his visit to the Agency tomorrow for a strategic briefing by Mr. Bruce Clarke and members of his OSR staff.

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4. [ ] Talked with Ed Braswell, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services Committee, who said he would be unable to come to the Agency tomorrow for the strategic briefing because of the pressure of other work.

Braswell mentioned that in a recent conversation with him Senator John Stennis (D., Miss.) had mentioned that he would like Braswell to pull together pertinent material on the Agency's budget presentation to the Committee. Senator Stennis anticipates the need for this material in connection with the confirmation hearing on Dr. James Schlesinger and other Committee requirements in the forthcoming session of Congress. Braswell asked for our assistance in providing him some material. Mr. Sherman, OPPB, is pulling this material together.

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5. [ ] Mr. John Dickey, on the USIB staff, called to say that the USIB staff of DIA had been in touch with Dickey's office about a request they have received from the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy for a copy of NIE 11-14. DIA stated that Mr. George Murphy, of the JCAE staff, was contacting Mr. Walske, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Atomic Energy, almost hourly on the status of their request. After several conversations with Dickey and Murphy, I advised Dickey that Murphy indicated to me that he had made no such request to DOD and was interested in knowing to whom he was supposed to have made such a request in DIA. Dickey is advising DIA that any action on such a request should be directed to USIB through the Atomic Energy Commission.

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